

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

The republican electors of the state of Nebraska are requested to send delegates from their several counties to meet in convention in the city of Kearney Wednesday April 27, 1892, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing four delegates at large to the republican national convention to be held in Minneapolis June 7, 1892.

THE APPOINTMENT. The several counties are entitled to representation as follows, being based upon the vote cast for Hon. George H. Hastings for attorney general in 1890, giving one delegate at large to each county and one for each 150 votes and the major fraction thereof:

Table with 3 columns: Counties, Del., Counties, Del. Lists counties like Adams, Antelope, Banner, Blaine, Boyd, Boone, Box Butte, Brown, Buffalo, Butler, Burt, Cass, Cedar, Chase, Cheyenne, Clay, Colfax, Custer, Dakota, Dawes, Deuel, Dixon, Dodge, Douglas, Dundy, Fillmore, Franklin, Frontier, Furnas, Gage, Garfield, Gosper, Grant, Greeley, Hall, Hamilton, Harlan, Hayes, Hitchcock, Holt, Howard, Hooker, Jeffersons.

It is recommended that no proxies be admitted to the convention, and that the delegates present be authorized to cast full votes of the delegation.

It is recommended that the republicans of every county in this state be requested to select their county central committee at the first county convention held in their respective counties. Said committee to serve until the county convention of 1893 be held.

DR. S. D. MERCER, Chairman.

WALT M. SEELEY, Secretary.

FIRST DISTRICT CONVENTION. The republican electors of the First congressional district of the state of Nebraska are requested to send delegates from the several counties comprising said district to meet in convention in the city of Falls City, Wednesday, April 20, 1892, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing two delegates and two alternate delegates to the republican national convention to be held at Minneapolis June 7, 1892.

THE APPOINTMENT. The several counties are entitled to representation as follows, being based upon the vote cast for Hon. W. J. Connell for congress in 1890. One delegate for each 100 votes and major fraction thereof and one delegate at large from each county:

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It is recommended that no proxies be admitted to the convention, and that the delegates present from each county cast the full vote of the delegation.

W. H. WOODWARD, Chairman.

FRANK MCCARTNEY, Secretary.

Call for Republican Primaries and City Convention.

The republican electors of Platts-mouth City are hereby called to meet in primary convention Saturday evening, March 12, 1892, from 7 o'clock till 8, for the purpose of selecting one candidate for councilman for each ward; and for the further purpose of selecting delegates to the city convention, which is hereby called to meet in the Rockwood Hall Saturday evening, March 19th, for the purpose of nominating a city ticket as follows: mayor, two members of the school board, police judge, city clerk and treasurer.

The representation for city convention is based on the vote cast for the Hon. G. H. Hastings for attorney general Nov. 1890, allowing one delegate for each ten votes and major fraction thereof, which entitles the several wards to representation as follows: First ward, 10 delegates, to be held at Council chamber. Second ward, 10 delegates, to be held at Second ward school house. Third ward, 14 delegates, to be held at Richey's lumber office. Fourth ward, 12 delegates, to be held at county clerk's office. Fifth ward, 5 delegates, to be held at fifth ward school house. No proxies admitted but delegates present will cast the full vote of their respective wards. By order of the city central committee. A. N. SULLIVAN, Ch'm'n.

MUCH CRY AND LITTLE WOOL.

Result of an Interesting Discussion Concerning the German Flag.

Two well-dressed women stood among the throng at the ribbon counter in one of the large dry goods stores in Sixth avenue, a few days ago, says the N. Y. Tribune, and having at length obtained the services of a clerk one of them said: "I want to buy some narrow ribbon for favors, but I must have the colors of the German flag, and, strangely enough, neither my friend nor I can recall them. Do you remember what they are?"

"I do not," said the girl politely, impressed apparently by the international character of her customers, "but the other young lady at this counter may know." "The other young lady" said she thought the colors were black and yellow.

"I am sure that isn't right," remarked an old customer who was sitting on the third stool down the counter.

"Possibly the floor walker would know," suggested the clerk. "Ca-a-sh! Ask Mr. Fitzhugh to come here." That functionary having arrived the matter was duly referred to him.

"There are three colors," he declared; "black, red and yellow."

"Are you sure?" asked the two shoppers earnestly. "We cannot make a mistake."

"I am almost sure that is wrong," interposed a young woman near by who had overheard the controversy; "my husband is a German, and I never heard of yellow in the German flag."

"It might be buff," conceded the floor walker.

"I used to teach school in Indiana," remarked a tall woman with a catskin muff, "and I can settle this question. The colors in the German flag are red, white and yellow."

This seemed authoritative, but somehow the various contestants didn't appear satisfied.

"There's Schwartz, the floor walker in the cotton department," suggested the stately Fitzhugh, "he's a German himself; he'll know: Cash, go and ask Mr. Schwartz to write the colors in the German flag on this card."

The Indiana school teacher did not look pleased, but the matter having gone to the Court of Appeals she festered her case, and the cash girl was back in a minute with the card. On it were written the words, "black, red and white."

"That settles it. Thank you so much," said the two feminine shoppers gratefully, looking apprehensively at the listening throng.

"How much is the narrow ribbon, please?"

"Twenty-two cents a piece of ten yards, ma'am," answered the girl expectantly.

"Well, we need only a little; give me a yard of each color. How much will that be?"

"Seven cents," murmured the clerk, staggered for a moment by the magnitude of the order, after the trouble of obtaining it.

The "other young lady" and the Indiana school teacher tittered audibly, but there was no sign of a smile on the clerk's face as she drawled: "Shall I have the package sent up to your home, ma'am?"

He Wanted to Avoid Preparations.

Mrs. Mary A. Livermore tells this story. The daughter of a certain gentleman, who was quite well off, was to be married. She had purchased her trousseau, which was a gorgeous one, from the apartments of the world's most fashionable modiste. The bill reached way up into the hundreds and was but a short step from a thousand. The ceremony and reception in their turn followed with all the brilliancy characteristic of a nuptial of the society world. The fond parent looked anxiously on as he thought of the immense number of bills that would soon pour in for his sympathy, and silently came to the conclusion that it should be the last.

After the event had passed and the happy Mr. and Mrs. were speeding away in a Pullman enjoying all the pleasantries of a honeymoon, he called his other daughter to him and surprised her somewhat by inquiring if she had any serious thoughts of matrimony.

"Why, papa," she exclaimed, "you know I haven't left school yet!"

"I know that," replied the father, as he thought of his diminished bank account, "but will you ever have?"

"Why, of course," was the blushing maiden's reply; "you know all girls expect."

"Then," he answered, "when the final point comes just let me know in time, and I will give you \$1,000 and you and whoever it is may run off. Anything to get away from those trousseaus and receptions."

swallowed a Horse.

The Rev. Dr. C. W. Parker, a respected preacher of Bremen, Ga., is authority for the following tale, according to the Atlanta Constitution. "Dr. I. N. Chaney used to practice medicine in Carrollton. He now keeps a hotel in Bremen. He went to Carrollton the other day in his buggy, and while there traded an old debt for a good horse, and started out for Boston in his buggy, leading his new horse. When he was nearing the Little Tallapoosa river bridge at Kingsberry's mill he suddenly heard a roaring among the trees which he supposed to be a storm. Looking up the hill he saw the forest in commotion and the trees falling and bending toward him, and in the midst of it a huge body which proved to be a snake. The doctor put the whip to his horse and was quickly on the bridge. Feeling the buggy jerk he looked and saw the snake swallow the horse he was leading and plunge into the river, just above the bridge, and as the snake poked his head out on the other bank of the stream, his tail still upon the side of the hill, his body reached clear across the river. The horse, having on new shoes, kicked through the stomach of the snake, and the snake stopped and the stream was dammed, and the water rose and floated the snake to a level with the bridge. The doctor jumped out of the buggy, took

out a big knife, and cutting the noise larger where the horse's feet were sticking out of the snake's body, the horse lounced out and mounded the bridge. The doctor secured him to his buggy and drove on, but by this time the water had backed till the horse had to swim the low ground, but they made their escape.

YOUTH HAS THE FLOOR.

America Furnishes an Unparalleled Opportunity to Young Men.

The young man who hesitates to accept or assume stations of responsibility and trust because of his youthfulness, and waits for the dignifying and solidifying influence of maturer years to fit him for the position, is not a close student of the lives of men who have impressed their names on their country's history. While older men shake their heads and remark in half-complaining tones that boys know more than their fathers these days, yet from no source does the ambitious, determined young man receive more cordial encouragement and support than from those same men who declare they are being shelved for the boys. It is not that youth knows more than age. But when a youth, buoyant with hope and confidence, his vision undimmed by the doubts and prejudices engendered by long acquaintance with the world, his ambition not withered by years of dreary struggle for subsistence, his heart full of love for humanity, and his soul vibrant with the grand possibilities of life—when such a youth, fresh from study and with intellect well stored, can mount at once to the point reached by his father through years of bitter experience, and from this vantage ground begin the battle of life, he is the better equipped of the two, just as a "dwarf perched upon the shoulders of a giant can see further than the giant."

These youths who think young men have not a fair chance, and those older men who think young men not able to fill important stations, may each learn a lesson from the record of the past.

Henry Clay, says the August's Chronicle, was in the Senate of the United States, contrary to the Constitution, at 21. Webster was in college at 15, gave evidence of his great future before he was 25, and at 30 he was the peer of the ablest man in Congress. Charles James Fox was in Parliament at 19. Martin Luther had become largely distinguished at 24, and at 36 had reached the topmost round of his world-wide fame. Peel was in Parliament at 21. Napoleon at 25 commanded the army of Italy. At 40 he was not only one of the most illustrious Generals of the time, but one of the great law-givers of the world. At 46 he saw Waterloo. Washington was Colonel in the army at 22, President at 37. Judge Story was in Harvard at 15, in Congress at 29 and Judge of the Supreme Court of the United States at 32. Gladstone was in Parliament at 22, and at 24 was Lord of the Treasury. William Pitt entered college at 14, was Chancellor of the Exchequer at 22, Prime Minister at 24, and when 35 was the most powerful uncrowned head in Europe. Byron wrote "English Bards and Scotch Reviewers" at 21, and published "Child Harold" at 24. Alexander Stephens went to the Legislature at 24 and Congress at 31. Henry Grady refused a nomination to Congress at 32, and made his New England speech, which gave him national reputation, at 36.

These instances are only cited to remind older men that the world has ever been ready to give distinction to young men who command it by their abilities, and to show to young men of brains and pluck that nobody is trying to keep them back. At no time in the world's history has ability been disregarded because coupled with youth, and never were there more doors open to young men than to-day.

A Remarkable Piece of Glassware.

One of the most remarkable pieces of old Byzantine glassware now in existence is the "Luck of Edenhall," which never was broken, notwithstanding the poem of Uhland, translated by Longfellow. At one time the wir-brained duke of Wharton let it all, but the butler, the ancient senechal of the house, caught it in a napkin. It is the property of the Musgrave family, an heirloom which has been cherished many centuries. Legend says it was snatched by a member of the family from the fairies by the well of St. Cuthbert in the garden of the mansion of Edenhall, and the elves in anger called after him as they flew away:

If ever this glass do break or fall Farewell the luck of Edenhall.

But the Luck of Edenhall has not yet been broken, though it is a glass of exquisite thinness. It is still kept by the family as one of their most precious possessions in a mediæval case of decorated leather, and guarded with sedulous care.—N. Y. Tribune.

Passed Him Without Question.

Sir George Bowen in a letter to an English newspaper incorporates an apt anecdote concerning the late Bishop Wilberforce. It is to the effect that at one of his ordinations he once had a candidate who was the son of an English merchant settled in Greece. When examined in the Greek testament this gentleman pronounced in the Greek manner, which seemed strange to the bishop, who exclaimed: "Oh, Mr. — where did you learn Greek?" The trembling candidate faltered out: "At Athens, my lord!" The bishop added: "I passed him without further question."

Amber in Old Times.

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Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Castle, Wis was troubled with neuralgia and rheumatism, his stomach was disordered, his liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him. Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven bottles Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O., had five large fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold by F. G. Fricke & Co.

ALittle Girls Experience in a Light house.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Trescott are keepers of the Gov. Lighthouse at Sand Beach Mich, and are blessed with a daughter, four years. Last April she taken down with Measles, followed with dreadful Cough and turned into a fever. Doctors at home and at Detroit treated, but in vain, she grew worse rapidly, until she was a mere "handful of bones". Then she tried Dr. King's New Discovery and after the use of two and a half bottles, was completely cured. They say Dr. King's New Discovery is worth its weight in gold, yet you may get a trial bottle free at F. G. Fricke Drugstore.

A Mystery Explained.

The papers contain frequent notices of rich, pretty and educated girls eloping with negroes, tramps and coachmen. The well-known specialist, Dr. Franklin Miles, says all such girls are more or less hysterical, nervous, very impulsive, unbalanced; usually subject to headache, neuralgia, sleeplessness, immoderate crying or laughing. These show a weak, nervous system for which there is no remedy equal to Restorative Nerveine. Trial bottles and a fine book, containing many marvelous cures, free at F. G. Fricke & Co's., who also sell and guarantee Dr. Miles' celebrated New Heart Cure, the finest of heart tonics. Cures fluttering, short breath, etc.

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